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Cal OES Internal Statewide Incident Briefing  
2000 hours, July 31, 2020



An anonymous individual left a very nice note on a CHP Central Los Angeles patrol car expressing gratitude for the efforts of the men and women in blue.

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## National Terrorism Advisory System



### Unclassified // FOUO 24 Hour STAC Report

- Report attached

# SITUATION SUMMARY

## Cal OES Activation Status

State Operations Center	Inland Regional EOC	Coastal Regional EOC	Southern Regional EOC
Level 1	Normal Operations	Normal Operations	Normal Operations

### Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19)

The Cal OES State Operations Center (SOC) activated 03/02/20 at 0700 hours in support of the California Department of Public Health (CDPH) Medical Health Coordination Center's (MHCC) statewide response to COVID-19. Cal OES will continue to provide resource coordination for the COVID-19 event, as well as situation status reporting and advance planning across multiple areas.

### Situation Overview

- **California State of Emergency Proclamation**

On 03/04/20, Governor Gavin Newsom declared a State of Emergency for California, as a result of the global COVID-19 outbreak that began in December 2019, to make additional resources available, formalize emergency actions already underway across multiple state agencies and departments, and help the state prepare for broader spread of COVID-19.

- **Executive Order N-33-20**

On 03/19/20, the California State Public Health Officer and Director of the California Department of Public Health ordered all individuals living in the State of California to stay home or at their place of residence, except as needed to maintain Continuity of Operations of the Federal critical infrastructure sectors.

- **Global Health Advisory**

On 03/19/20, the U.S. Department of State issued a Global Health Advisory at Level 4 (Do Not Travel) due to the global impact of COVID-19.

- **FEMA-4482-DR-CA**

On 03/22/20, President Trump approved Major Declarations FEMA-4482-DR-CA (DR-4482) for the COVID-19 Pandemic.

### **Confirmed Global COVID-19 Cases – Per Worldometers COVID-19 Live Updates as of 07/31/20 at 1000 hours:**

- 17,611,322 (+284,299) total confirmed cases in 213 countries
- 679,406 (+6,568) total deaths

### **Confirmed United States COVID-19 Case – Per Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) as of 07/31/20 at 1100 hours:**

- 4,473,974 (+68,042) total confirmed cases
- 151,499 (+1,216) total deaths

### **Confirmed California COVID-19 Cases - Per Medical Health Coordination Center as of 07/31/20 at 1100 hours:**

- 493,588 (+8,086) total confirmed cases

- Please see attached California Health & Human Services (CHHS) Agency / Cal OES Joint Situation Report for additional details.



# SITUATION SUMMARY

## Cal OES INLAND REGION

- See COVID-19 slides
- See Fire Activity slides

## Cal OES COASTAL REGION

- See COVID-19 slides

## Cal OES SOUTHERN REGION

- See COVID-19 slides

## **FIRE ACTIVITY**

### **Cal OES Fire Preparedness Levels**

<b>National</b>	<b>Northern California</b>	<b>Southern California</b>
<b>Preparedness Level 3</b>	<b>Preparedness Level 3</b>	<b>Preparedness Level 3</b>
	<b>Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode: 2</b>	<b>Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode: 2</b>

Note: The National and Regional Preparedness Levels are maintained by the National Multi-Agency Coordination (MAC) Group and are separate from Cal OES activation levels.

#### **Cal OES Fire Missions**

##### **2019-FIRE-402**

- Personnel assigned to fuel reduction efforts in CAL FIRE Units: Shasta/Trinity, Nevada/Yuba/Placer, San Benito/Monterey and Fresno/Kings.
  - Five 20-person Hand Crews each and all necessary personnel, support, transportation and materials.
  - 65 additional soldiers to be trained and ready to backfill.
  - Assigned to fuel reduction efforts in SHU, NEU, BEU, and FKU (1 Crew in each unit with the exception of 2 crews in FKU)

#### **COVID-19 Missions**

- Please see attached California Health & Human Services (CHHS) Agency / Cal OES Joint Situation Report for additional details.

# **FIRE ACTIVITY**

## **Cal OES INLAND REGION**

### **July Complex, Vegetation Fire, Siskiyou County**

Location: Hwy.139 x County Rd. 91, Canby

Jurisdiction: Federal DPA, FRA, Lava Beds N.P, Modoc N.F

Per Cal OES Duty Officers and ICS-209 as of 07/31/20 at 1748 hours:

- 81,520 acres, grass, brush and timber, 61% contained
- Minimal overnight fire behavior
- Threat remains to Transmission Lines and High Pressure Gas lines
- Threat remains to BNSF railroads
- Threat remains to high value commercial timberlands and mining operations
- Threat remains to significant historical and cultural sites
- Area, trail and road closures remain in place
- Red Flag Warning for low RH and gusty winds
- California Type 1, Team 1 in command
- California Type 2, Team 12

### **Activations**

- Modoc County EOC is activated at a Level 3 (lowest)

### **Deployments**

- 1 Cal OES Fire and Rescue Branch Assistant Chief

### **Evacuations**

- Mandatory evacuation remain in place for the Medicine Lake Recreation Area
- The Lava Beds National Monument remains closed

### **Hog, Vegetation Fire, Lassen County**

Location: Hog Flat Reservoir, 10 miles west of Susanville

Jurisdiction: State DPA, FRA, Lassen-Modoc Unit

Per Cal OES Duty Officers and ICS-209 as of 07/31/20 at 1752 hours:

- 9,564 acres, timber, 92% contained
- Nonresidential Commercial Property Destroyed: 1
- Minimal fire behavior reported
- CAL FIRE IMT #3 in command
- Planned transition to local unit today



# **FIRE ACTIVITY**

## **Cal OES INLAND REGION (Continued)**

### **Hog, Vegetation Fire, Lassen County (Continued)**

#### **Deployments**

- 1 Cal OES Fire and Rescue Branch Assistant Chief
- 2 Cal OES Public Safety Communications IBT

#### **FMAG**

- An FMAG request was received on 07/19/20 at 2210 hours. After review of the application, the FMAG was placed on hold.

#### **Proclamation**

- Lassen County submitted a Proclamation of Local Emergency. The county is requesting CDAA for assistance and relief programs, a Gubernatorial Proclamation and a Presidential Declaration.

#### **Missions**

- **2020-Inland-36121:** Air Resource Board to provide Air Monitoring Rays

### **Gold, Vegetation Fire, Lassen County**

Location: Hwy. 139 x County Rd. A-2, 5 miles south of Adin

Jurisdiction: State DPA, SRA/FRA, Lassen-Modoc Unit

Per Cal OES Duty Officers and ICS-209 as of 07/31/20 at 1723 hours:

- 21,870 acres, grass and timber, 85% contained
- Single Residences Destroyed: 9
- Continued threat to structures
- Evacuation Orders and Warnings remain in place
- Crews continue to improve, reinforce, and secure control lines
- CAL FIRE IMT #4 in unified command with USFS

#### **Deployments**

- 1 Cal OES Fire and Rescue Branch Assistant Chief
- 2 Cal OES Fire and Rescue Branch Mechanics
- 5 Cal OES Public Safety Communications IBT

#### **Proclamation**

- Lassen County submitted a Proclamation of Local Emergency. The county is requesting CDAA for assistance and relief programs, a Gubernatorial Proclamation and a Presidential Declaration.

# **FIRE ACTIVITY**

## **Cal OES INLAND REGION (Continued)**

### **Gold, Vegetation Fire, Lassen County (Continued)**

#### **Evacuations**

- Zone B - Areas south of Ash Valley Rd. west of Spooner Rd., east of Hwy. 139, and north of Termo Grasshopper Rd.
- Zone G - Area north of Ash Valley Road to Rail Canyon north to the Modoc County line and west to Hwy 139.
- Zone H-1 - Area north of Ash Valley Road at Knox Mountain north to the Modoc County Line and west to Rail Canyon.

#### **Shelters / Evacuation Shelters**

- Modoc County, in collaboration with the American Red Cross, is housing evacuees at the Rim Rock Motel.
  - Overnight Shelter Count: 3 rooms with 3 occupants

## **Cal OES COASTAL REGION**

- Nothing significant to report.

## **Cal OES SOUTHERN REGION**

- Nothing significant to report.



# MAJOR ROAD / HIGHWAY / BRIDGE CLOSURES

Major Road Closures		
Northern California	Central California	Southern California
No Lifeline Route Closures	No Lifeline Route Closures	No Lifeline Route Closures

## Lifeline Routes:

- No lifeline route closures.

## Non-Lifeline Routes:

- Click [here](#) for a list of current road closures.

## Wildfire Closures:

- See Fire Activity slides.

## Emergency Center Activations:

- Please see attached California Health & Human Services (CHHS) Agency / Cal OES Joint Situation Report for additional details.

## Interactive Travel Forecast Map Based on Weather Conditions Provided by National Weather Service (Prototype)

- <http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/wrh/travel/?wfo=mtr>



Click on the Caltrans Logo to check  
current Hwy. conditions.  
You can also call 1-800-427-7623 for  
current Hwy. conditions.



# CALIFORNIA 911 SYSTEM

## California 911 Outages

Northern California	Central California	Southern California
No 911 Outages	No 911 Outages	No 911 Outages

### 911 Outage/Remote/Community Isolations

- None reported.

### Service interruption

- None reported.

# **WEATHER OF CONCERN**

## **NORTHERN CALIFORNIA**

- Nothing significant to report.

## **SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA**

- Multiple Excessive Heat Warnings are in effect for multiple counties across Southern California through Monday evening
  - Very high heat risk is expected through tomorrow due to dangerously hot conditions.
    - Temperatures of up to 120 degrees in the desert regions of San Bernardino County on Saturday.
    - Temperatures of up to 110 degrees in portions of Riverside Counties through Saturday evening.
    - Afternoon temperatures of 110 to 119 degrees can be expected in portions of Imperial County through Monday.

### **Weather Advisories, Watches, and Warnings currently active in California:**

<http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/hazardSummary/?state=ca>

### **Active Weather Warnings, Watches and Advisories by County:**

<http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/hazardSummary/?state=ca&bycounty=1>

# **WEATHER KEY POINTS**

**07/31/20 - 08/06/20**

## **Friday-Sunday**

- High to very high heat impacts continue over southern California today and through the weekend as temperatures climb to 100+ with poor overnight recovery
  - Excessive Heat Warnings and Heat Advisories in effect
  - Hottest temperatures expected today and Saturday
- Elevated to critical fire weather conditions due to dryness and local terrain impacts on wind speeds, especially across northern CA

## **Monday-Thursday**

- Decreasing heat impacts as temperatures return to more typical early August levels



# CALIFORNIA WEATHER IMPACTS

07/31/20 - 08/06/20

<u>Hazards / Day</u>	FRI	SAT	SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU
<b>Non-Thunderstorm Damaging Winds</b>	Inland/ Southern	Inland/ Southern	Inland/ Southern				
<b>Snow</b>							
<b>Coastal Flooding</b>							
<b>River Flooding</b>							
<b>Thunderstorms</b> (Wind / Hail / Tornadoes)							
<b>Fire Weather</b> (Low Humidity / Wind / Dry Thunderstorms)	Inland/ Southern	Inland/ Southern	Inland/ Southern	Inland/ Southern	Inland/ Southern	Inland/ Southern	Inland/ Southern
<b>Heat Risk</b>	Southern	Southern	Southern	Southern	Southern	Entire State	Entire State
<b>Heavy Rain / Flash Flooding / Debris Flow</b>							
<b>Cold</b>							



No Impacts



Minimal Impacts



Moderate Impacts



Severe Impacts

# PRECIPITATION FORECAST

07/31/20 - 08/02/20

**No Precipitation Expected through Sunday**

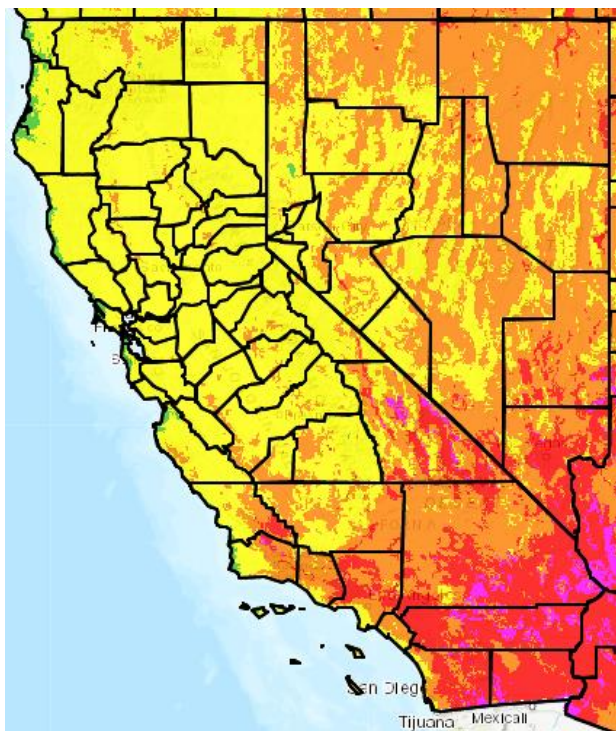
Precipitation (inches)



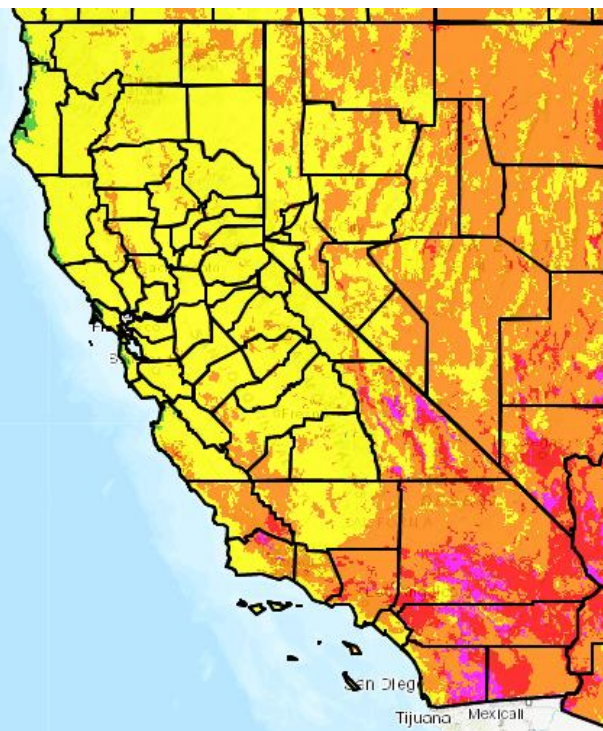
# HEAT RISK FORECAST

07/31/20 - 08/02/20

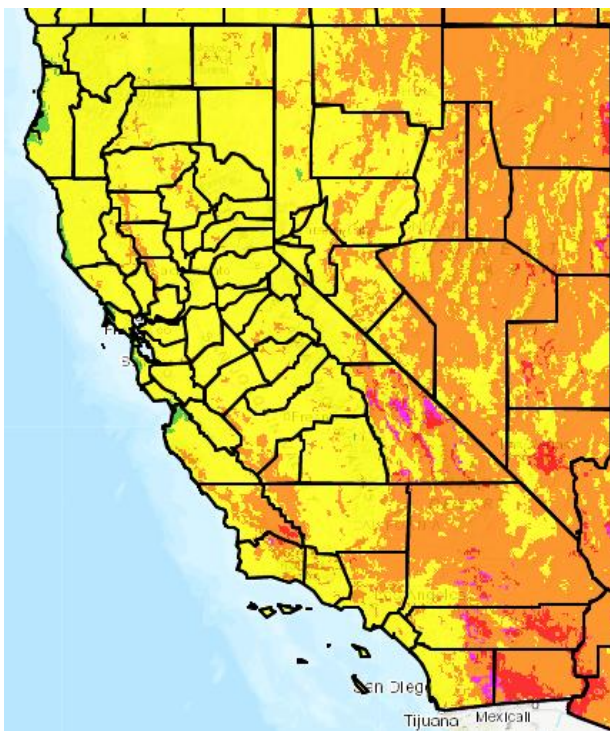
Today



Saturday



Sunday



Category	Level	Meaning	Category	Level	Meaning
Green	0	No Elevated Risk	Red	3	High Risk for much of the population, especially those who are heat sensitive and those without effective cooling and/or adequate hydration
Yellow	1	Low Risk for those extremely sensitive to heat, especially those without effective cooling and/or adequate hydration	Magenta	4	Very High Risk for entire population due to long duration heat, with little to no relief overnight
Orange	2	Moderate Risk for those who are sensitive to heat, especially those without effective cooling and/or adequate hydration			





# **WEATHER OUTLOOK**

**08/05/20 - 08/13/20**

## **6-10 Day Outlook (August 5 – August 9)**

### **Temperatures**

- Below normal temperatures expected over central and southern California, with near normal temperatures across the north

### **Precipitation**

- Near normal precipitation expected statewide

## **8-14 Day Outlook (August 7 – August 13)**

### **Temperatures**

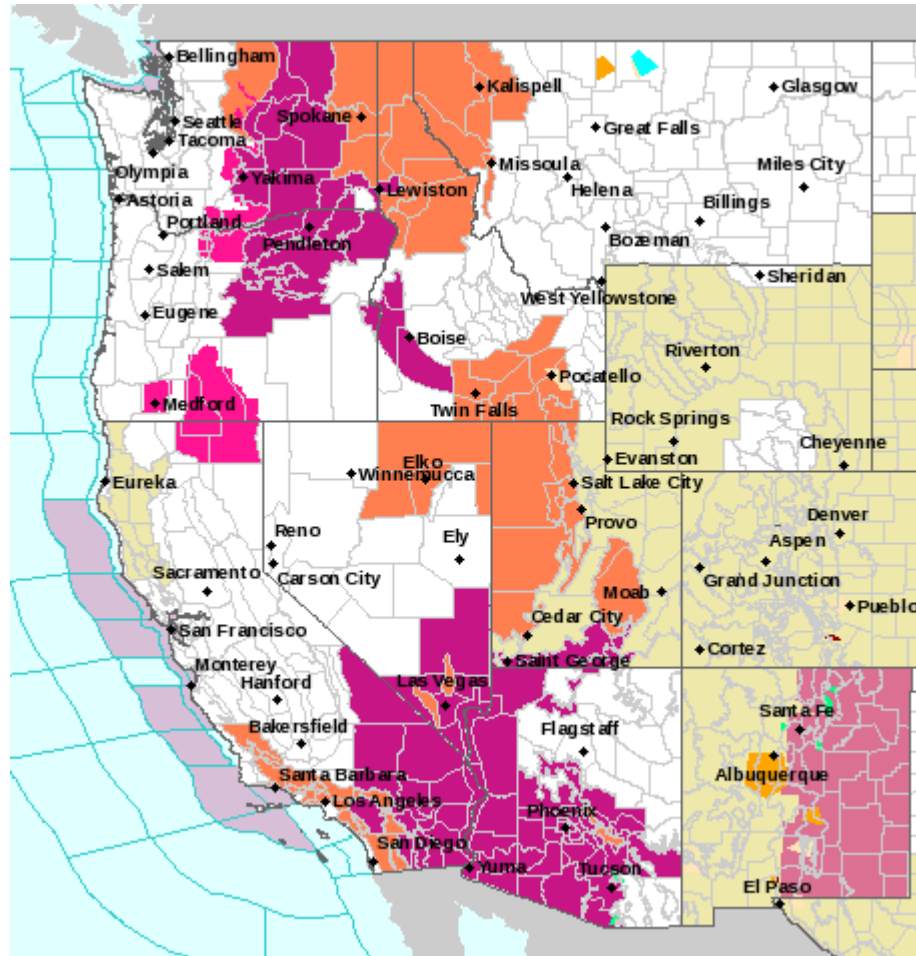
- Below normal temperatures favored across southern California, with above normal readings forecast across northern portions of the state

### **Precipitation**

- Near normal precipitation expected statewide



# WEATHER MAP



[Severe  
Thunderstorm  
Warning](#)



[Flash Flood Warning](#)



[Severe Weather  
Statement](#)



[Excessive Heat  
Warning](#)



[Severe  
Thunderstorm Watch](#)



[Red Flag Warning](#)



[Heat Advisory](#)



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# Cal OES LAW ENFORCEMENT MISSIONS

## Cal OES Law Missions

- None reported.

# **Cal OES MISSION TASKING**

## **Cal OES Missions**

- Please see attached California Health & Human Services (CHHS) Agency / Cal OES Joint Situation Report for additional details.



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